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TELEGRAPHIC.

CANADIAN.

Fatal Fire in a Penitentiary.

DORCHESTER, N. B., 12.—Fire was discovered last night in the quarters occupied by deputy warden Keefe in the Dorchester penitentiary. He, with his wife were in bed at the time. Both reached the bedroom door when they fell, overcome by the smoke. Doctor Church was called, but Keefe was too far gone and died soon after. Mrs. Keefe lies in a critical condition. The servant girl jumped from the window sustaining severe injuries. The fire was prevented from spreading to the prison wings by the prompt and energetic action of the prison officers.

Winnipeg's new Mayor.

WINNIPEG 12.—Alderman Thomas Ryan will be mayor of Winnipeg for 1889. The citizens settled that question yesterday in a very emphatic manner, giving Ryan a majority of 235 over Stewart Mulvey. Lewis and Ross were elected aldermen in ward one, Mackenzie and Hargrave in ward two. The other wards were carried by acclamation.

Wm. Garland was elected mayor of Portage la Prairie.

Hiding From Cleveland.

VICTORIA, 13.—A number of United States officers who are sojourning in this city, will return to the American side after the inauguration of President Harrison. These individuals held office under the Democratic administration and were active workers for the Republican party in the late election. The Cleveland party cannot serve them with papers declaring their office vacant while they remain in Canadian Territory, and they expect to be sold for another term by remaining till after the 4th of March next.

Red Deer Railway.

OTTAWA, 15.—The Red Deer Valley Railway & Coal Company which will ask incorporation next session, and in favor of which an order-in-council has been passed, authorizing an approval of Parliament of a land grant of 6,400 acres per mile, is being promoted by Ick Evans, of Toronto, who has associated with him Toronto people who are connected with the Union & Hand and Hand Ranching Company. The railway will traverse from Cheadle station to Red Deer River. It is said that English capitalists are also interested in the matter.

Immigration.

OTTAWA 13.—The proposition of the Northwest Assembly that the Dominion government be asked to make a grant in order to co-operate with the Northwest in establishing European agencies with a view to promoting immigration is not in accord with the present policy of the department of agriculture. The feeling in official circles is doubtful if it can be adopted owing to the restricted vote for these purposes.

Attributed to Local Jealousy.

OTTAWA 13.—No importance is attached by the department of agriculture to the agitation of the English agricultural journals against the admission of Canadian cattle into England as a counterblast to the American agitation for the admission of United States cattle. All the talk is attributed to local jealousy. The feeling here is that Canada will enjoy the privilege as long as she shows a clean bill of health.

A College Riot.

TORONTO 17.—The first year students and others opposed to Haxing, protected one of their number from the assaults of haxers last night at University College, and a hand to hand conflict ensued. Blows were being exchanged freely when Sir Daniel Wilson arrived with a policeman and rebuked the rioter, threatening to send any student convicted.

A Montreal Paper's Sensation.

MONTREAL 13.—The Herald will tomorrow morning publish in full the correspondence between president Van Horne of the Canadian Pacific and general manager Hickson of the Grand Trunk, relative to the attempt to combine to maintain rates, and will characterize it as treasonable to Canada.

Sir John Kaye.

WINNIPEG 15.—Sir John and Lady Kaye are here en route to England.

DEAD OR IN A TRANCE.

A Mysterious Case at Quebec.

QUEBEC 18.—Everything was in readiness at the Basilien today for the funeral service of C. Merriette, advocate, whose sudden death was announced some days ago. The funeral was postponed as there seems to have been a doubt whether Merriette was really dead or only in a trance. Doctors held an examination and agreed that death had supervened, but the interment was postponed to Wednesday to make sure.

Bloody Work Expected.

WEST PORT, Miss., 18.—News has reached here of the fight between whites and negroes at Watahok on the Mobile & Ohio railway. The negroes fired from ambush killing twelve whites and wounding many. The whole country is aroused and several hundred well armed men are on the track of the negroes. Bloody work is expected today.

Radical Changes in the Banking System.

OTTAWA 13.—Radical changes in the federal banking system will be adopted in eighteen hundred and ninety. The principal change is to be the adoption of an enactment authorizing the government to practically control the issue of legal tender and correspondingly restricting the issue of notes by the various chartered banks.

Freeing out Conservative Justices.

WINNIPEG 13.—The Greenway government have issued a circular cancelling all appointments of justices of the peace. It is proposed to issue new commissions shortly. There is great indignation among the shins.

More Snow at Montreal.

MONTREAL 18.—It began snowing here Sunday night and continued all day yesterday. At midnight a heavy gale set in from the east and drifts are unusually heavy. The city streets are almost blockaded and the country roads are impassable. Trains are delayed.

Fire in Winnipeg.

WINNIPEG 17.—A fire early Sunday morning destroyed Hibbard's furniture store and Gordon's undertaking establishment on North Main Street. The loss will be five thousand dollars.

A new Cemetery for Winnipeg.

WINNIPEG 18.—The city council last night decided to purchase forty acres near St. John's College for a new city cemetery.

Against Female Suffrage.

TORONTO 18.—The Young liberals and Young conservatives in joint session this evening voted down a resolution in favor of female suffrage.

A Winnipeg Forger Captured.

WINNIPEG 14.—Gillette, the clever forger who operated in Winnipeg last summer and induced one J. H. Radford to give him \$1,500 on a forged draft, has been arrested at Fargo. Steps will be at once taken for his extradition.

Toronto has Doubled Itself.

TORONTO 12.—By a recent census taken, Toronto has a population of a hundred and sixty four thousand population. It has doubled itself in the last eight years.

Skipped Across the Lines.

WINNIPEG 12.—Fred Lyons, commercial traveller for Ames, Holden & Co., has skipped to Washington Territory. The firm will be heavy losers.

The Anthracite Mines.

WINNIPEG 12.—The Anthracite coal mines are expected to resume operations next week. Five hundred men will be employed.

A New Paper for Winnipeg.

WINNIPEG 12.—A new evening paper is shortly to make its appearance in this city. It will be independent in politics.

A Clergyman's Sudden Death.

POINT HOPE 18.—Rev Mr. O'Meara, rector of St. John's Church, dropped dead at the railway station here this morning.

To Investigate the Quarantine Question.

OTTAWA, 15.—Mr. Lowe, Deputy Minister of Agriculture, is enroute to Macleod, where he will investigate the quarantine question.

Dr. McEachern.

MONTREAL 12.—Dr. McEachern, during his forthcoming visit to the Fort Macleod District, will investigate the outbreak of anthrax or cattle disease in the vicinity of Calgary.

The Manitoba Crossing Case.

OTTAWA 14.—The judges of the supreme court have intimated that they will announce the result of their deliberations on the Manitoba railway case on January fourteenth.

A Member Unseated.

OTTAWA 17.—The supreme court, Saturday unseated Guilbault, the sitting member for Joliette in the Commons on account of bribery.

Butterworth's Scheme Denounced.

TORONTO 15.—The Globe and Wiman both denounce Butterworth's annexation resolutions, as being in an unfortunate and calculated to prevent the consummation of commercial union.

Cumberland Elections.

HALIFAX 17.—The candidates in Cumberland will be Dickey, conservative, and Eldermin, prohibitionist.

Gabriel Dumont.

MONTREAL 14.—Gabriel Dumont is in Montreal at present and will lecture throughout the province this winter.

A new pastor for a Winnipeg Church. HAMILTON 14.—Rev. A. C. Crews of Simcoe street Methodist Church has accepted a call to Zion church Winnipeg.

Dr. Montagu Unseated.

WELLAND 16.—Dr. Montagu, member for Haldimand was unseated today for bribery by agents.

Escaped From Jail.

KINGSTON 18.—Thornton, a convict escaped from the penitentiary today.

At Toronto.

TORONTO, 12.—Lord Macdonald and Mrs. Dawdney are visiting here.

Died Suddenly.

REGINA 17.—J. J. Irvine, post master here, died suddenly yesterday.

FOREIGN.

African Explorers.

BERLIN 17.—Herr Nerenky chief of African missions, thinks that Emin may have been captured but not Stanley. It is more likely, he says, that the "White Traveller" referred to by Osman Digna is Capt. Casate, the Italian explorer.

LONDON 17.—There is quite a general assumption that Henry M. Stanley is a prisoner in the hands of Khalif Abdullah the false prophet of the Sudan. This has not extended to the officials of the British Imperial East African Company. These gentlemen including Sir Francis DeWinton and William MacKinnon express unqualified belief in the explorer's safety, and his ultimate return to civilization and quite reasonably base their belief upon the contention that the proof of his capture furnished by Osman Digna are insufficient, illogical and contradictory.

Stanley and Emin Bey Prisoners.

LONDON 15.—It is rumored that Osman Digna, who is now believed to have both Henry M. Stanley and Emin Bey as prisoners, is willing to yield Stanley and Emin provided Egypt will abandon Suakim. Otherwise the prisoners will be killed. The cabinet is now discussing the situation.

Stanley Killed.

LONDON 18.—Mr. Thompson, the African explorer, writes that it is only too probable that the Mahdi has captured Emin Bey. He expresses unhesitatingly the conviction that Stanley never reached Emin Bey but was annihilated with his whole party in the region to the west of the Albert Nyanza. In this region, he says, there are dense forests and swamps, and Stanley and his followers must have had to march almost in single file and to fight for their daily food.

Osman Naib Wounded.

SUAKIM 13.—The rebels maintain a heavy musketry fire. Their commander Osman Naib has been wounded in the neck by the explosion of a shell. Shells fired at the rebels are doing heavy damage. A letter has been received from Osman Digna, but the contents are unknown.

The Sudan War.

LONDON 13.—Instructions have been issued to the authorities at Woolwich arsenal that military stores intended to be forwarded to Egypt for use in the Suakim campaign, must take precedence over all others, and that passenger steamers must be employed in their transportation if by that means they can be de-patched more rapidly than in government transports. Reports from Massowah state that the powerful Beni and Bogos tribes have deserted the Mahdi, and have refused to assist in the siege of Suakim. If the English troops inflict a defeat on the rebels, other tribes will also probably desert.

Troops Arriving at Suakim.

SUAKIM 18.—The Arab trenches were heavily shelled by the forts today. The Twentieth Hussars and two companies of the Fifth Egyptian battalion have arrived here.

SIR CHARLES ON FEDERATION.

The High Commissioner Does not Think the Empire is Breaking up.

LONDON 13.—At the Royal Colonial Institute meeting last night, at which the Marquis of Lorne presided, Sir Charles Tupper made a pronounced speech on Imperial Federation. He said while he rejoiced at the progress of any movement of the colonies to Great Britain, he could not, after thirty years' experience in public life, say with the federationists that unless the system of the Empire was radically changed, the Empire must fall to pieces. It was most desirable in the interests of both the colonies and Great Britain that they should draw the bonds closer if possible, but knowing what the present system effected, how could he submit to the statement that they must change all this for some undiscovered panacea? He also repudiated the idea that the term "colonist" was humiliating. He considered it the proudest title in the world. Some of the subsequent speakers attacked Sir Charles Tupper for throwing cold water on the federation movement, but the Marquis of Lorne defended Sir Charles Tupper. He quite agreed that it was ridiculous to suppose that the Empire was in a state of spontaneous combustion and must collapse unless some immediate cut and dried scheme was adopted.

Unqualified Triumph.

LONDON 6.—Lord Salisbury's visit to Edinburgh has been an unqualified triumph from beginning to end. There has not been a hitch. The meeting in the Corn Exchange was enthusiastic and representative as the strongest Tory could desire, but the most interesting and striking incident of the whole programme was the presentation of the address of sixty two Unionist associations in the same building on Friday, in presence of over six thousand people. Those who know Scotland know that these vast meetings and assemblages are signs of a change that will be as lasting as the so-called liberalism from which they are a reaction.

England and Canadian Cattle.

LONDON 13.—The Live Stock Journal says that the Canadian concession was never intended to refer to fat cattle, which has now grown into a regular trade. In stores it says that also the States have, indeed, a grievance which should be removed, not by extending the privilege but by putting an end to the Canadian trade unless the cattle are slaughtered when debarred. The present trade must bring disease and disaster. The friends of Canada point, however, to Canada's freedom from disease and the absence of all proof that Canadian fat or store cattle are bringing disease here.

Slightly Mixed.

LONDON 14.—The Standard today announces that the Canadian Pacific has formally proposed to the Dominion government to sell their monopoly transportation rights in Manitoba for three millions sterling, and adds that Sir John Macdonald will not care to face parliament with such a bargain. The best informed circles here declare the above is based on an entire confusion of facts. The only possible legislation is the surrender by the Canadian Pacific of its legal right in the crossing matter. This is fully expected, the company receiving a fair consideration.

Two Statesmen Fight a Duel.

PARIS 15.—M. Clemenceau and M. Naquet fought a duel today with swords. Clemenceau was wounded in the shoulder.

The Panama Canal Excitement.

PARIS 12.—Another scene of excitement was enacted at the offices of the Panama Canal Company yesterday. At four o'clock a hush fell over the throng and DeLesseps appeared. Mounting a table he said, "my friends the subscription is safe, our adversaries are confounded. We do not need the help of financiers. You have saved yourselves by your own exertions. The canal is made." Here DeLesseps was so overcome that he wept.

Pope's Stern Reproof of the Nationalists

ROME, 12.—A sensation has been caused by the Pope's refusal to bless medals and reliquaries sent to Rome by Irish priests, who intended them for distribution in Ireland. The Pope sternly said, "I can't bless them. The people of Ireland are disobedient. They seem to prefer the gospel of Dillon and O'Brien to the gospel of Jesus Christ."

A Report That Salisbury Will Resign.

LONDON 13.—A report is current at the clubs that Lord Salisbury has determined to resign his position as premier in the event of a Queen's speech of the kind which has been asked from the English and Indian press by his contemptuous reference to Mr. Morley as a "back man."

Reform in the H. B. Co'y.

LONDON 14.—The Hudson's Bay shareholders committee is actively agitating the reformation of the board, the production of fuller accounts, and thorough inquiries into every branch of the land and trading departments. The movement is widely supported.

British Parliament.

LONDON 15.—In the Commons this evening, a bill providing for the closing of taverns on Sunday was rejected. The employer's liability bill was withdrawn. The parliamentary election in Maidstone division resulted in the return of the conservative candidate by a majority of 185.

American Capital in Siberia.

ST. PETERSBURG 13.—It is asserted that an American syndicate with a capital of \$50,000,000 has been formed to construct a railway in Siberia, and that several former American diplomatic and consular agents are interested in the undertaking.

The Closure.

LONDON, 12.—In the Commons, Labouchere moved a resolution that £5,000 in the Irish constabulary vote. After speeches by Dillon and Tanner, Balfour amid cries of "No, no," from the Opposition moved the closure, which was carried by a vote of 141 to 39.

Sculling in Australia.

BRISBANE, 12.—In the four days sculling contest here, Searle had an easy victory. Beach did not compete in the final heat, owing to the committee refusing to disqualify Searle and Matterson for fouling him.

Rough on Parnell.

LONDON 14.—Before the Parnell commission yesterday, one witness swore directly that the league had incited him to murder another man.

AMERICAN.

PANIC IN A THEATRE.

An Oswego Theatre Burned.—Mrs. Langtry Loses her Wardrobe.

OSWEGO 13.—During Mrs. Langtry's performance in the Academy of Music tonight as the curtain was about to rise on the last act, there was a cry of "fire" from the rear of the hall and thick clouds of smoke poured up through a large register in the middle aisle. The cracking of flames was heard underneath the floor and the large audience rushed panic stricken for the exits. All got out without injury. Mrs. Langtry lost a valuable wardrobe.

Butterworth's Rad.

WASHINGTON 14.—Mr. Butterworth introduced in the House today a joint resolution authorizing the president to negotiate with reference to the unity and assimilation with the United States of the Dominion of Canada or of one or more provinces thereof.

The House held a democratic caucus tonight and adopted a resolution for the admission into the union of Dakota either as one or two states as the people of Dakota shall decide, and for the admission of the states of Washington, Montana and New Mexico also.

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WHITE LINIMENT,
The Best Stable Liniment
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The Great Liniment for Ranchers.
STRAINS, SPRAINS, PUFFS,
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In Pint Bottles only 50cts Each.

Redeemed and Extensively used by thousands
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RANCHERS will serve their best
interests by inserting their cards
with stock brands in these
columns. For ten dollars we will
publish a ranch card with one cut
for a year and send the advertiser
the WEEKLY HERALD for the same
time. For each cut of an animal
more than one, we charge three dollars
a year. All advertisers in these
columns have the privilege of
advertising lost or strayed animals
at any time, free of charge.

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STRAYED, from High River Ranch, there were
5 horses, 1 bay horse 1 year old, 4 year-
ling, 1 white and 1 black. I will give any amount
reward to any one that will deliver any one of
my ranch, at the crossing of High River, or the
Macleod road, or for a horse or horse that would
lead to the recovery of the same. Any brand is
on left shoulder.
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100 DOMESTIC EASTERN COWS. Three
and four years old. Also three Thor-
oughbred Shorthorn Bulls.
LUCAS & EASTMAN,
Calgary.

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MYRTLE

CUT and PLUG

SMOKING TOBACCO

FINEST THAN EVER.

T & B

In Bronze

EACH PLUG and PACKAGE,
248-4th St. Schol.



ISAAC ROBINSON,
Elbow Park.
(Lately the Chipman
Ranch), Calgary, P. O.
Owner of cattle and
horses. Brand OK same
as cut on left rib.
P. O. Box 21.

STEWART RANCH COMPANY, (Limited).

Range—Pincher Creek,
near Fort Macleod.
Address—Fort Macleod
N.W.T.
Owners of cattle and
horses branded 4 on left
hip, and cattle Th con-
nected on left hip.
Ear marks—Right ear
cropped, left ear underbit.
Horse brand—8C on left shoulder.

J. H. GOLDFINCH.

Range, Bow River.
Address, Lethbridge.
Cattle brand, same as
cut on left side.
Horse Brand, same as
cut on left shoulder.
Also owner of cattle
branded horseshoe and
frog.

JAMES F. LAWRENCE.

Cattle brand same as cut
on left side. Horse
brand same on left thigh.
Vent, for both, be-
through brand. Pedigree
Herd book by and half-
breed, also shorthorn bulls
and horses for sale. Address
JAMES F. LAWRENCE,
Springwater Ranch, Calgary.

QUORN RANCH CO.

J. J. Brierley, Manager
Range, Sheep Creek
near High River.
Address—Box 100, Cal-
gary, N.W.T.
Marks cattle on right
side of neck. Cattle
brand same as cut
on left shoulder.

Brand same as cut
on left side. Also
owner of cattle
branded 4 on left
hip, and cattle Th con-
nected on left hip.

J. D. LAUDER.

Range—Elbow River. Address—Calgary.
Vent—Horseshoe brand.

JAMES MITCHELL.

Range, between Bow and
Elbow rivers.
Address, 2nd Ranch, Cal-
gary, Alberta.
Horse brand, same as cut
on left shoulder with cut
on the tail.
Cattle brand, same as cut
on left side. Vent, same as cut without tail.

W. HUCKVALE.

Range, Big Bend, Belly
River.
Address, Macleod, Alta.
Horse Brand, same as
cut on left shoulder.
Vent, same on left
hip.

WINDER RANCH COMPANY.

Range, Willow Creek.
Address, Macleod, Al-
berta.
Horse Brand, same as
cut on left shoulder.
This year's cattle brand
double crank on left
jaw.

BREALEY BROTHERS.

Address, Calgary.
Range, Beaver Dam.
Horse Brand, same as
cut on left side.
Also own cattle brand-
ed 8C on left hip and
O on right side.

MOUNT ROYAL RANCH.

W. C. WELLS. E. N. BROWN.
PROPRIETORS.
Address, Cochrane, N.
W. T.
Range, Bow and Ghost
Rivers.

LOUIS ROSELE.

Range, Elbow River.
Address, Calgary, Al-
berta.
Brand, same as cut.
Vent, bar through
brand.

W. FODGER.

Range—LITTLE BOW
Address, High River
Cattle brand, same as
cut on left ribs.
Horse brand HP on
left hip.
Also owner of all cat-
tle branded J. L. Onright.

EROS.

Brand, Juniper Pond
Brand same as cut on
right hip. Also owners
of cattle brand same as
left side. Address
W. W. Stuart
Millward, N.W.T.

T. BANBURY.

Range, Pine Creek.
Address, Calgary, N.
W. T.

CROSS BROTHERS.

Range, Mosquito Creek
and Little Bow River.
Address, High River.
Horse Brand, same as
cut on left shoulder.
Also own horses brand-
ed same as cut on left
thigh. Also cattle brand-
ed J. N. on right side and
hip.

THE COCHRANE RANCH CO., (Limited)

Head Office, Montreal, P. Q.
President, Hon. M. H. Cochrane,
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Range, Between Rooten and Belly Rivers.
Address, Macleod, N.W.T.
Vent, inverted C on left side. Double Dewey
on cattle branded after 1897.
Cattle cut of left ear of calves branded up
to 1892.
Vent for horses, inverted R on left hip.
Also brand of cattle with double dewey, and
branded with square and compass on right hip.

INDERWICK & LEATHAM.

Range—Between Mid-
dle and North Forks of
Old Man River.
Address—Fort Mac-
leod, N.W.T.
Vent—Brand inverted
Owners of cattle brand-
ed—1 on left side.
Calves—Small fork
on left ear.
Horse brand—A on
left hip.
Horse vent—Baton on left shoulder.

BOW RIVER HORSE CO., (Limited).

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President, Charles Elliot Esq.
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Also own horses branded monogram JH on
left shoulder, or hip or both.
Vent, inverted C on left hip.
Well broken horses always for sale at reasonable
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Cochrane Alta.

MURRAY WOODS.

Range—Nose Creek North Branch.
Brand—3 M
On horse—this brand is on the left shoulder; on
cattle on the left hip.
Vent: brand upside down on the hip for
horses and a bar across the brand for cattle.
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Vent, same as cut, on
right thigh.

PRIMROSE RANCH CO.

Range, Big Lake and
Little Bow.
Address, Calgary
Brand, same as cut.

THE NEW OXLEY, (CANADA) RANCH CO

Range—Porcupine and
Willow Creek.
Address—H. Stanley
Pinhorn, Manager, Fort
Macleod, N.W.T.

J. W. BRANKLEY.

Range, Stoney Creek.
Address, Calgary, Alta.
Brand 5X on right hip.

THOMAS BEHAN.

Range, between Bow
and Elbow Rivers.
Address, Sted Ranch,
Calgary, Alberta.
Brand 701 on left hip.
Horse Brand, Diamond
on left shoulder.
Vent, 701 under brand.

MAIN & DENNIS.

Range, Big Bend, Belly
River and Upper Teton
Valley.
Address, Lethbridge,
N.W.T., and Old agency
M.T.
Horse Brand, 5 on left thigh. Also owners of
the 6 and 69 brands.

JOHN WADE.

Range, Sheep Creek.
Address, Okatoks, Alta.

CHARLES CAREY.

Range, Bow River, east
of the Gap.
Address, Canmore, N.
W. T.
Cattle Brand, same as
Vent, cut bar over
brand.

JOHN THOMPSON.

Address, Dunbow.
Range, near mouth of
High River.
Brand, one on left side.
Vent 16 on left hip.

W. SKRINE.

Range, High River.
Address, High River.
Cattle—1 on right ribs.
Vent, same as cut, on
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thigh.

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Address, H. Harris, Leth-
bridge.
Horse Brand on left
thigh.
Vent, on cattle, Z on left
shoulder.

ALEXANDER RANCH.

Range, south of Mosquito
Creek, west of Macleod
trail.
Address, Mosquito Creek
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Horse brand, same as cut
upright on left shoulder.
Calves, same as cut on
both hips, and left ear Crop. Vent, brand re-
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Right Side.
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Right Shoulder.
Vent—Bar beneath the brand.

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Horse brand, same on
left shoulder. Marks,
both ears split.

J. WALTER INGS. FREDERICK W. INGS.

Range, North Fork, High
River.
Address, High River, Al-
berta, N. W. T.
Horse brand, OH on left
shoulder.

WILLIAM POLLOCK.

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ed on right shoul-
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Horse Brand, same as
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Allen, Managing Direc-
tor, F. S. Stinson.
Range, High River.
Address, High River N.
W. T.
Horse Brand, same as cut
on left shoulder.

T. H. STEADMAN.

Fort Macleod
Address, Fort Mac-
leod, N. W. T.
Vent, same on left
hip.

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modations for cattle and horses.

HERBERT SAMSON.

Range, Little Bow and
Mosquito Creek.
Address, High River.
Horse brand, 2X on
left side.
Horse Brand, same
cut on left hip.
Also own horses and cattle brand-
ed 81 on left
side.

B. PRUEN.

Range, mouth of High
River, north of the Bow
Address, Calgary.
Horse brand same as cut
on right shoulder.
Marks, this year's calves
wattle on right thigh.

T. O. CATCHLEY.

Range, Nose creek,
address, Calgary.
Brand, 2 on left-shoulder
Vent, 2 on left hip.

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right of the left hip.
Ear marks—Right
split, left under ear.
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der on left thigh.
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For Sale this Spring: Several "Attles" and three
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A Prominent Florist Considers Roses from
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In a paper on roses, read by Mr. Edwin
Lonsdale of Philadelphia, Pa., at the fourth
annual meeting of the Society of American
Florists, the following information of
practical interest to rose growers was
given: American Beauty is perhaps the
most remarkable rose on the list. A rose
of its size, form and fragrance, and at
the same time a perpetual bloomer, is a
great stride toward the ideal. It was introduced
to the American public just when the
large hybrid perpetual rose had become
fashionable, and flower buyers wanted
those at all seasons of the year. American
Beauty is obtainable from January to
September. It will stand much heat and
moisture when in good health, and seems
to do better the third year after planting
out than the first. The plan of bending
down the shoots seems to be the best for
this rose. It causes flowering shoots to
break from the base which generally pro-
duce fine blooms.

No rose ever excited so much attention
in this country as the William F. Bennett.
It has been one of the most valuable roses
introduced into our list of winter bloom-
ing sorts for a number of years. It is a
hard rose to get started on account of its
free blooming tendency, but by persistent
disbudding, when planted no more than
three or four inches deep in rich, light
soil on a well drained table, it is one of
the most profitable varieties grown. It
requires more heat than most of the teas,
and seems to improve in constitution each
year.

Catherine Mermet commands the ad-
miration of every one who sees it. Its
delicate coloring, fragrance and exquisite
form have made it a deserved favorite.
Unfortunately everybody cannot grow it
profitably. It requires special treatment
to bring out its paying qualities, and is
very much inclined to run to blind wood
if grown in too light a soil. It prefers a
rather stiff, though porous, soil, for no
rose is more impatient of excessive mois-
ture at the roots, and a night tempera-
ture of not higher than 55 degs. produces
the finest flowers.

The Bride is a sprout from the last named
variety, being identical with it, excepting
in color, which is white. It has estab-
lished itself as one of the best white
roses we have. Of course, it does not
compare with the Puritan when at its
best, nor with Niphetos for productiv-
ness, but it can generally be depended
upon to bring a fair price when delivered
in good condition. It has almost entirely
displaced Cornelia Cook, and will hold
its own for some time to come. Niphetos,
it has been said, will be grown when all
the white roses now in cultivation have
been forgotten. This is perhaps going a
little too far, but it goes to show in what
esteem this rose is held. Much was hoped
from the Puritan, and these hopes had
some foundation, but experience has
demonstrated that the majority of the
many buds formed produce imperfect
blossoms. After the experience of last
winter it cannot be placed on the list of
roses likely to prove profitable. The ad-
vent of the now somewhat old and famous
Perle des Jardins marked a new era in
rose culture. It will be a long time be-
fore the Perle is superseded, and, for gen-
eral purposes, it remains one of the best
we have. However, it is true that some
of our very best growers do not find it
profitable, because of so many flowers
coming malformed. It is believed by
some florists to require a more porous soil
than most varieties do, and a night tem-
perature of from 60 to 65 degs.

Papa Gontier has not been in general
cultivation sufficiently long for all grow-
ers to learn its requirements thoroughly
or to bring out its good qualities. That
it has established itself as a favorite
among flower buyers there is no doubt.
Its long stems and good foliage would
give it high rank, even if its fine color
were not so desirable. The tendency to
lose its leaves in winter, however, is
against it, and if this tendency can be
overcome it must be considered a first
class variety.

La France bounded into popular favor
suddenly as a winter bloomer. Its adap-
tability for forcing must have been dis-
covered about the time Mr. Bennett's
Hybrid Teas were introduced, to which
class La France undoubtedly belongs. It
is a great favorite with all flower lovers,
and, generally speaking, profitable to the
grower.

Bon Silene is a very old favorite, and is
still one of the most profitable varieties
in many localities. Its fresh pink color
and ideal shape commends it to all flower
lovers, and its productiveness will keep
it on the list for some time to come.

Concrete Stable Floors.

Good stable floors may be made by first
paving with broken stones and then cov-
ering with concrete, and finally laying
the whole with plank. The plank ex-
poses Country Gentlemen, will be easier
for the animals' feet than the hard con-
crete, and will prevent the gradual injury
to the concrete surface by the animals'
feet lying down and rising. The injury
may, however, be prevented in some
measure by keeping the hard floor well
littered.

The first thing in paving is to see to
the perfect drainage of the earth, for
water in the soil will be likely to spoil the
whole work. Drive the stones solidly
and compactly into the soil, and cover
them with a layer of smaller stones. Then
mix, thoroughly, good water lime with
two or three parts of clean, sharp sand,
mix well with water enough to make it
run between the stones by pressing. The
top layer of concrete is then added, the
best of which may be made with Portland
cement with two or three times as much
clean, sharp sand. There should be an
inclination of two or three inches from
the manger to the drain, which will be
necessary unless you keep a large supply
of litter to absorb all the liquids. Coarse
clean sand is best, but flour will answer
if perfectly free from foreign matter.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that an application will
be made to the Parliament of Canada at the next
session thereof, for an Act to incorporate the
Asiniboia, Edmonton and Regina Railway Com-
pany with power to construct a railway from
some point on the Canadian Pacific Railway at
near Carleton Place or near the town of Carleton
Place, in a general north westerly direction, crossing
the North Saskatchewan River at or near Carleton
Place, to the Peace River at or near the mouth
of the Smoky River.

W. L. BERNARD, Solicitor for Applicants.
Dated Toronto, 1st November, 1888. 13-15

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

IN the goods of EDWIN JOHN WINTERBOT-
TOM, late of St. George's Fish Creek, in the
County of Alberta, in the Northwest Territory
of Canada, deceased. Notice is hereby given
pursuant to the Imperial Statute 22 and 23 Vic-
toria, cap. 37, that all persons claiming a debt
due to or from the said deceased, or having any claim
or demand upon or affecting the estate of the said
deceased, or about the 22nd day of October, 1888, are
to be required to send particulars thereof in
writing to the undersigned, Advocate for Mrs.
Edwin Winterbottom, at St. George's Fish Creek,
Alberta, the widow, and wife of the said deceased,
in the will of the said deceased, and to whom Pro-
bate was granted on the 19th day of November,
1888, by the Supreme Court of the Northwest
Territories of Canada, at Calgary, in the North-
west Territories. And notice is hereby given
that after the 25th day of January next, the
assets of the said deceased will be distributed
having regard to the claims then notified.
Dated this 23rd day of Nov. 1888. 13-15
W. L. BERNARD,
Advocate for the said Estate,
Stephen Avenue, Calgary, Alta. N.W.T.

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1888

NOTICE.
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the undersigned on or before the 15th inst.
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Captain.
Golden, July 24, 88.

\$10 REWARD.

STRAYED from near the bridge on Nose Creek,
a Sorrel Mare with White Face, and
on hip and P on shoulder, when last seen had a
long picket line on her; also a Red Roan Horse
branded DL on shoulder, shod all round. The
above reward will be paid to any one returning
same to
236-311-12 McTAVISH BROS., Blacksmiths.

STRAYED.

STRAYED, ONE BAY HORSE, bands, 5 inch
in height, branded T. L. monogram (from
Lynch brand) on right shoulder and circle dot on
right hip. Has white star on forehead and halter
marks on nose. A suitable reward will be paid
to the finder on returning the same to
F. De WINTON
Brecon Ranch, Bow River.

\$10.00 REWARD.

STRAYED from Rosebud Ranch, one brown
mare, branded JO on left shoulder. Had on a
halter and piece of rope. Also one dark brown
mare, branded — A —. The above reward
will be paid to any person delivering
them at the above ranch or at Bain & Hamilton's
stable, Calgary.

D. McEACHERN,
Rosebud Ranch, Calgary, P.O.
23-D Tues W 10

NOTICE.

THE HERALD Publishing Co., Limited, will not
assume the responsibility of any order not
given personally by the undersigned or by his
written order.
ERNEST J. CHAMBERS,
Managing Director,
Herald Publishing Co.
Limited.
Calgary, Oct. 12, 88.

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NOTICE

IS HEREBY given that application for letters
patent will be made to the Lieutenant Govern-
or of the Northwest Territories to constitute
the persons hereinafter named and other who
hereafter become shareholders in the company, a
body corporate and politic for the purposes
among others, hereinafter mentioned.
1 The proposed corporate name of the company
is "The Herald Publishing Company, (Limited)."
2 The object for which incorporation is sought
is the publishing of a newspaper or newspapers
and the carrying on a general printing and pub-
lishing business.
3 The place within the Northwest which is to
be its chief place of business, is the town of Cal-
gary.
4 The proposed amount of its capital stock is
\$10,000.
5 The number of shares is one hundred
and the amount of each share one hundred dollars.
6 The names in full, addresses and calling of the
applicants are as follows: Alexander Lindsay,
of the town of Calgary, aforesaid publisher; James
Alexander Loughheed of the same place, Advocate,
Peter McCarthy, of the same place, Advocate, and
Ernest J. Chambers, of the same place, Journal-
ist.
JOHN C. F. BOWN,
Solicitor for Applicants
Dated Calgary,
Aug. 18, 1888.

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Calgary, - - Alberta

NOTICE

NOTICE is hereby given of the intention of the
applicant hereinafter named, to the Lieut-
enant Governor of the Northwest Territories
under the Joint Stock Companies Ordinance, for
the issue of letters patent to incorporate a com-
pany to be known as THE TURF CLUB ASSO-
CIATION, (LIMITED).
The object for which incorporation is sought is
the promotion and encouragement of horse-
racing and the acquiring of such property, res-
and personal as may be necessary for the pur-
poses of a proper turf association. The chief
place of business within the said Territories of
the proposed company will be the Town of Cal-
gary. The proposed amount of capital stock is
\$10,000. The number of shares is 100, and the
amount of each share \$100.00.
The names, addresses, and calling of the said
applicant, (as who are also to be the first or pro-
visional directors of the Company) are John Lin-
dsey, Calgary, Stock-Dealer; Geo. K. Leeson,
Contractor, Calgary; James Reilly, Calgary,
Hotel Proprietor; the said parties all being re-
sidents of Canada.
Calgary, July 11th, 1888.
GEO. G. MURDOCH,
Solicitor Alberta Turf Club Association,
LOUGHEED & MCCARTHY,
Advocates for Applicants.



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NOTICE OF APPLICATION.

Notice is hereby given that application will be
made at the next Session of the Parliament
of Canada for an Act to incorporate "The Red
Deer Valley Railway and Coal Company" with
full powers to construct, equip and operate a
line of railway from a point on the line of the
Canadian Pacific Railway at or in the vicinity of
Crescent Station, in the Alberta district, and run-
ning in a north-westerly direction, and in part
traversing the valley of the Red Deer River to
the coal fields in the said valley, and also to
construct a branch line from some point
on their main line to the town of Calgary, in the
Northwest Territories or to the vicinity thereof,
with power to the said company to acquire lands
for coal mines and to work and operate such
mines, also with the power to construct and
operate a telegraph or telephone line in con-
nection with the said railway, and generally with
all powers, rights and privileges usually granted
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NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE
Alberta & Athabasca Railway Company will
apply to the Dominion Parliament, at its next
session, for an amendment of its charter, giving
power to extend, construct, equip and operate
a line of railway from its southern terminal point
on Bow River or the Canadian Pacific Railway,
southerly to the International boundary; and
also from its northern terminus on the Athabasca
River northwesterly to the Peace River and to
increase the capital stock thereof and for other
purposes.

LOUGHEED & MCCARTHY
Solicitors for said Company
Calgary, 11th October, 1888. 245-20-w3m



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ERNEST J. CHAMBERS,
Editor and Manager.

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 19, 1888.

A BANCHER ON STOCK TOPICS.

We have received a somewhat lengthy communication from a gentleman interested in the growing business of cattle exporting from Alberta to England. He describes in a very interesting way the present position of the live stock question. We append extracts:—

"England insists upon treating Canada as it does Ireland, viz: As an isolated country that exports cattle. One case of infectious disease in Ireland, and the ports are closed (as they are now) against all live cattle from that country. This too is the case with the United States cattle now. All animals have to be slaughtered in quarantine within twenty-four hours of landing. Canadian cattle alone are now allowed the privilege (should they strike a falling or gutted market) of recruiting their travel worn frames on the succulent pastures of England, until such time as they can be marketed to advantage. This peculiar privilege to Canadians is estimated to be worth \$15 a head, a sort of preferential duty in their favor. It is therefore obvious that the owner of a Montana steer could well afford to bring it over the lines into Canada, and pay the expense of quarantine and the duty, something under \$10, and yet be able to get it all back, and more also, by the enhanced price they would receive for their arrival when marketed, branded with the Canadian Hall mark. This is the true reason why the Americans and the Canadian newspapers in their pay have been advocating the removal of the quarantine regulations. They endeavored this year to get in the thin edge of the wedge by underbidding the Canadian ranchmen for the government contracts, hoping to obtain a concession or right of entry that way.

"How futile these hopes must have been, is shown by the remark made by a member of the British legislature who passed through Calgary this season. He said the present conservative government is practically run by the country gentlemen representing the landed and agricultural interests. Many of them openly advocate protection and are most jealous of the importation of foreign stock. Many interested eyes are on the watch, and the moment the Canadian precautions against the infected territories are relaxed, Canada will be put into the schedule and the government will be only too glad of a decent excuse to satisfy their friends at someone else's expense.

"Again it has been urged that these regulations are made in favor of and supported by a 'clique' of selfish Canadian ranchmen, friends of Sir John A. and his government.

"It is really the electors who return the members to Parliament in the agricultural districts, who are the people most interested. The surplus stock of Ontario must annually find its way to the Alberta ranges, as the stock has to be put on by a certain date or the lease is forfeited. British Columbia has already contributed all its surplus—and Ontario farmers are quite sharp enough to see the value of this new market for their store cattle. They are also quite well enough informed to know that any relaxation in Alberta of the quarantine regulations they have submitted to as long at Quebec, will inevitably lead to Ontario being scheduled, together with the rest of the Dominion, as England only recognizes Canada as one country.

"As regards the lease system the eastern out territories now openly deplore that it had not been adopted by their government before it was too late. In Montana, Idaho, and Oregon, once fine ranges, are now desolate wildernesses, and from what I saw of the country round Macleod it is identically the same sort of soil, climate and herbage as Montana, and with the same treatment, would soon be in the same state. Indeed there are parts up Willow Creek that show deteriora-

tion from overstocking already.

"As regards the shipping of cattle and horses to England, I am of opinion it is destined to reach large proportions in the immediate future. When England gets into one of her periodical war scares she ramsacks the continent for cavalry horses, and clears out Chicago of beef. Are we in Canada so rich or so totally devoid of all business enterprise as to see annually millions of English gold going into the pockets of strangers and aliens, when it might just as well go into our own. Cannot opposition news, papers leave Alberta alone and make political capital out of the Government policy as regards fisheries, retaliation, education or anything else that we have no use for in Alberta."

POLICE PAY.

Some of the American papers are devoting their attention to the question of police protection, and are publishing some statistics as to pay etc., which forcibly brings to the notice of the reader the fact that the Calgary police force is greatly underpaid. It would be of course the height of absurdity to pretend for one moment to compare the duties of the chief of the small Calgary force with those of chiefs whose commands number hundreds of men, as with the chiefs of the New York or Chicago forces for instance. Still however the high pay received by these officials reminds us forcibly of the great importance of the duties performed in the preservation of the public peace. To give our readers an idea of the value the cities of the continent place upon the services of their guardians of the peace the rates of pay of some of the principal police forces will be interesting. We append a few.

New York police force, commissioners per annum, \$6,000; chief, per annum, 6,000; inspector, 3,500; captains, 2,750; sergeants, 1,600; policemen, (eight hours duty on street,) 1,200. Chicago, Chief, 4,500; inspector, 3,000; captains, 2,500; patrolmen, 800 to 1,000. Boston, Chief, 4,500; patrolmen, 900 to 1,300. Philadelphia, Chief, 4,000; patrolmen, 120 to 900. St. Louis, Chief, 3,600; patrolmen, 900. Washington, Chief, 2,600; officers, 1,000 to 1,500; patrolmen, 900. Seattle, Chief, 2,500; patrolmen, 800 to 900.

Of course Calgary is a very small town compared with most of those to which reference is here made, and it would be impossible to take these schedules of pay as a direct basis on which to establish a rate for this town, except perhaps in the case of patrolmen. The duties of patrolmen are pretty nearly the same in Calgary as they would be in New York and Chicago and it will be seen at once that Calgary is very stingy with its policemen when it is remembered that patrolmen here only receive \$660 a year. Even our chief gets only \$740 a year, or less than the ordinary policeman in any American city. Our worthy chief is certainly deserving of a much higher salary. While the New York patrolmen, who draw \$1,200 a year pay, has only eight hours duty out of the twenty-four, the chief of the Calgary police is on duty all the time. He does duty on the streets for fifteen hours each day and during the remaining nine hours can be found at the police station doing duty as guardian. When the great responsibility resting on his shoulders is considered in connection with the arduous nature of his duties, it must be admitted that the chief receives a very shabby pittance in return for his duties. The town imposes a great responsibility and heavy duties upon him, and should in turn allow him a fair remuneration. In such matters as this it is absurd for the town to attempt to practice too much economy. It is to be hoped that the new council will give this matter their earliest consideration.

FARCIAL AND DETRIMENTAL.

Dr. Bourinot, the learned clerk of the House of Commons, is, besides being a great authority on constitutional law, an accomplished literateur and a keen, thoughtful observer. He recently paid a visit to this part of the Dominion, and his views on the liquor question are interesting and valuable. He says:—

"Year by year as the population increases, the people of the Territories must have their political franchise enlarged. The time has come for introducing the ballot and placing the people on the same footing as their countrymen in the old Provinces. The inhabitants of these countries are an exceedingly intelligent class, drawn for the most part from Ontario and the other Provinces, and are in every way deserving of governing themselves in all domestic matters with as little interference as possible from the central authority. There is one matter in which I may as well refer here, as it is attract-

ing much attention at the present time. I can see it may have been necessary in the infancy of the settlements to establish a prohibitory liquor law, but it is evident to me that the time has come when the people of the Territories should have the complete regulation of such matters. The 'permit' system is very farcical and, indeed, detrimental in its operation. In every community there are a number of persons who watch systematically for the coming of a 'permit'—even looking out at the railway stations—and go in for a 'high time' the moment they find out who has received the 'permit.' It is the etiquette to share the favor with your friends and neighbors, and the consequence is that at intervals the town soon knows when a permit has arrived. Gloom again settles on a portion of the community when there is a hiatus. 'One would think the town was on a funeral,' said a Regina citizen in my hearing. I am an advocate of temperance, and fully appreciate the efforts of its well meaning advocates; but at the same time I am of opinion that stringent prohibitory enactments, as in Maine, practically kill themselves, and not only introduce poisonous liquors into a place, but make men resort to falsehood, deceit, and all the lower qualities of man's nature. I have always believed that a stringent license system under the supervision of responsible, intelligent men, will best subserve the cause of morality in the end."

THE MOUNTED POLICE.

The statement made by the Ottawa authorities as to the savings banks deposits of the Mounted Police force leads the Montreal Witness to say:—"The Northwest Mounted Police are saving money. As nothing unites men for civil life so much as long terms of police or military service, they are right. Careful management by men of such a force should leave any of them with sufficient to stock a farm after ten years' service. As most of the police duty is a kind of military patrol, these men should know the country well and should be able to choose good farms. Were the government of this force as moral as it once was, and the term of service brief, it might be made a splendid machinery for settling the country with Stalwart and self-reliant men."

Our Montreal contemporary makes a common mistake in assuming that the duty performed by the men of the Mounted Police unites them for civil life after leaving the service. For endorsement of our statement look at the number of ex-policemen occupying good business positions in Calgary and elsewhere throughout the Territories. What the Witness means by the insinuation that the government of the force is less moral than it once was, it is difficult to say. The force has never been in a better state of organization than it is at present.

THE REPORTED DISEASES AMONG CATTLE.

Dr. McKeehan will be in Calgary on the 20th inst. As the principal object of the doctor's visit is to investigate the reports of disease among live stock, it is to be hoped that all who may have information on the subject will make it a point to assist the doctor by conveying it to him.

ALL SORTS OF THINGS.

Calgary is growing. It is now recognized as a consular centre for the Territories. It has for a long time been the centre of population.

Calgary is going to have a public library at last.

The congregation of every church in Calgary contribute, something towards the programme at Knox Church to-morrow. There is no sectional bitterness between the religious denominations in Calgary; and earnest, thoughtful Christians have good cause to be thankful that such is the case.

Mr. Cayley has got back from Regina and prophesies that as a result of the discussion in the Assembly on the liquor question, that we shall have high license here before twelve months are over. Should the prediction come to pass the people of the Territories will have good cause to feel grateful to the first Legislative Assembly. Even prohibition faddists will live to bless the day when a quietus is given to so-called prohibition.

Our contemporary the Northwestern Live Stock Journal of Cheyenne, comes to hand in a new and decidedly improved style, now being of a magazine form. The Journal is a splendid paper, loyal to the American stock interests, and replete with valuable information to stock grow-

ers. The Herald differs with its Yankee contemporary on the quarantine question and other matters, but must acknowledge that it is one of the very best journals on its exchange list. A large number of Alberta stockmen are regular readers of the Cheyenne Journal.

Illustrated journalism is making good progress in Canada. Several splendid Christmas papers have been issued this year. The Montreal Star, which has become celebrated for its splendid illustrated supplements has the best Christmas number of the lot, and it equals if not actually exceeds the best holiday numbers published by the great London illustrated weeklies. As the development of artistic taste is acknowledged to be an indication of material prosperity there is good cause for congratulation in the rapid development of Canada's illustrated press.

The eastern prohibitionists give those who differ from them, credit for nothing but a colossal fund of coarseness. The amiable cranks who are endeavoring to keep the people of the Territories in a state of constitutional slavery, assume a monopoly of goodness. We find the Canadian Citizen, the organ of the prohibition party, of a recent date, exclaiming:—"Prohibitionists will accomplish more than they are accomplishing, if they will only stand together, with more genuine, earnest, fraternal sympathy. Brothers, we are fellow soldiers in the army of the Lord of Hosts." How closely this resembles the oft quoted case of the Pharisee and the Publican. In both of these cases the Pharisees have made themselves utterly contemptible.

The Medicine Hat Times publishes an interview with Mr. Bliss the temperance lecturer lately here, which illustrates the necessity existing for educating eastern prohibition enthusiasts up to the shocking failure of the prohibitory liquor law in the Territories. Mr. Bliss is represented as having said in our contemporary's sanctum:—"I believe that the cause of Temperance is weakened by the present system in the Northwest. I have changed my views since acquainting myself with the situation. I find that with a license system the hotel keepers would use every precaution to stop illicit dealing, and the customs department would be enriched by thousands of dollars each year that is now expended in smuggling liquors into the country."

THE ASSEMBLY.

PROR. GUED.

The Last Sittings of the First Session of the Legislative Assembly.

REGINA, Monday 10.—This morning shortly after 10 o'clock Mr. Speaker declared the House open for business.

Mr. Thorburn presented the report of the special committee on Dominion Lands. It consisted of seven clauses, the substance of which is as follows:—

1. That payment for pre-emptions be extended five years without interest.
2. That second homesteads be granted to those entitled.
3. Those who hold eight acre homesteads be given full quarter section.
4. Cancelled pre-emptions be reduced to price of uncanceled lands.
5. Pre-emptions within 20 miles of a railway be reduced to \$2 and those outside to \$1.
6. That tree planting count same as grain culture.
7. That odd-numbered sections be opened for settlement.

Messrs. Cayley and Lineham moved the addition of "an act to provide for a short form of chattel mortgage" to the motion passed on Saturday which was carried.

The House then went into committee of the whole on the second reading of the revised ordinances and a considerable length of time was consumed in the discussion of the Brand Ordinances. Messrs. Cayley and Lineham wanted a brand office established in the Calgary district, instead of the present inconvenient system of a head office at Macleod.

House adjourned at 12 o'clock and on resuming in the afternoon the Dominion Lands report was discussed in committee of the whole and passed as far as the sixth clause.

House went into committee of the whole on revised ordinances, passed the Civil Justice, School and other ordinances.

A bill was introduced, read the first, second and third times and passed, for the purpose of bringing Dr. Brett's Medical Ordinance into operation on March 1st, 1889.

The House rose at 5:30.

RESPONSIBLE GOVERNMENT.

In the evening the House passed the supply bill and went into committee on the Memorial committees report, which was considered until 11 o'clock and was considerably amended. The document as it finally emerged from the committee

contained a resolution on responsible government (asking for provincial powers to be given to the assembly), one asking for repeal of dues on dry wood, urging the appointment of hide and brand inspectors at Macleod and Calgary, granting of scrip to Half-breeds, granting of scrip to all scouts doing service in the rebellion under the Police Act. A copy of the memorial was ordered to be sent to each member of Parliament for the Territories.

During a protracted sitting, lasting until after midnight, further chapters of the revised ordinances were discussed. A long discussion took place on separate school districts, which was not finished when the mail left.

The following from the budget speech was crowded out of Tuesday's issue:—

ESTIMATED EXPENDITURE.

Schools.....	\$ 51 270 75
Stationery, telegrams, etc.,	570 64
Cost of elections (projective)	1 373 85
Clerical assistance.....	4 257 65
Messengers and caretakers..	1 000 00
Miscellaneous justice.....	4 945 96
Services of legal adviser (D. L. Scott).....	750 00
Keeping insane prisoners...	2 500 21
Printing and advertising...	4 144 98
Newspapers and books.....	2 275 45
Travelling expenses.....	2 030 92
Light and fuel.....	282 92
Vet. Surgeon.....	400 00
Marriage certificates.....	87 00
Books for Supreme Court...	200 00
Sheriff's fee.....	200 00
Security books (public office)	50 00
Salary of Queen's Printer...	200 00
A. E. Forget, services as Queen's Printer 2 years and 4 months.....	700 00
Crown prosecutors in liquor cases.....	800 00
Prairie fire prosecutions...	500 00
Henry Lejune, auditing accounts.....	100 00
Accountant's salary (part)...	550 00
Vital statistics.....	300 00
Engraving, etc.....	1 500 00
Repairs to bridges (in progress).....	1 500 00
Outstanding claims.....	2 600 00
Aid to districts (per member).....	19 800 00
Contingencies.....	1 533 93
Total.....	\$ 105 354 90

PROROGUED

TUESDAY, Dec 11.—When I sent the Herald's report last night, the House had not risen. The discussion in committee on responsible government and on the separate school system was continued after hour, though in a desultory manner as to make reporting an impossibility until long past midnight, and when the speaker left the chair, it was nearly one o'clock this morning. The resolution on responsible government simply asked for full fledged provincial government, with all the powers, except that of borrowing money, on the public credit. Messrs. Cayley, Tweed, Haultain and others spoke strongly in its favor, while Messrs. Betts and Reaman as strongly opposed it. Other members were satisfied with the present system, but the great majority of the Assembly were in favor of fuller powers.

One interesting item brought before the committee by persistent requests of some of the members, was the salaries of the public officials. James Brown, secretary Board of Education, receives \$1,500. L. O. Bourget, accountant, 1,200, recommended that it be raised to 1,500; J. C. Pope, assistant accountant, 960; C. Lethbridge, clerk, 900; R. Duane, 660; W. J. Chaffey, clerk, 600; Hy. Fisher, librarian, 900; T. Brown, in charge of public works, 1020; J. McLachlan, clerk, 480; Mrs. Simpson, 720; A. W. Dagg, 60 per month; Mr. Le Vasseur, 275; J. W. Powers, two months at 75—150; E. Tennant, caretaker, 480; Turan, caretaker, 420; Jas. McCara, page, was receiving 216, raised to 300; J. F. Stewart, messenger, 60.

The business of this morning included the winding up of all unfinished matters and the final passing of the consolidated ordinances, which was done amid rousing cheers. The report on Dominion lands was passed with the addition of a clause favoring the establishment of a Territorial land board, and another asking that settlers be allowed five cents for each tree planted and growing on their homesteads.

A resolution was passed urging the granting of scrip to the Mounted Police for their services during the rebellion.

Dr. Brett presented a report on leading trails in the Territories. It recommended the improvement by the Dominion government of the Macleod—Calgary, Calgary—Edmonton, Edmonton—Battleford, Battleford—Swift Current and Qu'Appelle—Prince Albert trails.

The immigration committee reported and recommended that the C. P. R. be asked to grant passes to emigration agents for the Northwest.

Mr. Tweed submitted the report of the special committee on financial relations of the Assembly and Dominion government. The report advocated an increased grant. It was concurred in.

At exactly three o'clock His Honor Lieutenant Governor Royal

PROROGUED THE HOUSE

by reading the following speech in English and French:

GENTLEMEN OF THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

In relieving you from your labors during the important Session about to close, I have to thank you for the earnestness and zeal which you have manifested in the discharge of your public duties as representatives of the people.

The practical sense with which you have met my efforts to take advantage of the present transitory regime to give you as large a share of responsibility as possible in the administration of affairs in the government of these vast Territories, has left me no cause for regret.

You have applied yourselves with devotion and diligence to the very important measure of the revision and consolidation of the Ordinance, and I cannot express too strongly my satisfaction at the manner in which you have done this great work.

The various subjects submitted to your consideration have received at your hands that attention which will render them largely instrumental in promoting the development of the immense resources of our country.

I will lose no time in transmitting to the Privy Council at Ottawa your resolution concerning the Temperance question and I may express the conviction that your wishes will be given all possible weight and attention.

The Herald Thanked.

REGINA 12.—The Assembly passed a motion yesterday thanking the HERALD for copies of that paper sent to members who speak highly of your reports during the session. The motion was moved by Cayley.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

Two Important Reports Submitted to the House.

REGINA, 12.—Several important reports were presented to the Assembly just before it prorogued.

The following is the report of the memorial committee:

The memorial committee appointed to draw up an humble address to His Honor the Lieut. Governor praying that he may transmit certain resolutions of this House to the Governor-General-in-Council beg leave to report as follows:—

The memorial of the Legislative Assembly of the Northwest Territories to the Governor-General-in-Council sheweth:—

1. "That although this Assembly has been granted control of all expenditure current year, yet the N.W.T. Act does not clearly give the Assembly that control of the monies voted by the Dominion Government for the expenses of the government in the Territories, which in the opinion of this Assembly they are undoubtedly entitled to.

2. "That there is no permanent responsible body whose business it is to prepare legislation for the consideration of this Assembly and in consequence its legislative functions cannot be satisfactorily performed as for instance, the Assembly has had to present an humble address to His Honor the Lieut. Governor praying that he may be pleased to appoint a committee to draft during the recess certain measures deemed advisable by the Assembly; measures which it should be the duty of a Legislative Government to submit. That on these and other accounts the Assembly believes the present system unworkable.

"That, therefore, the Assembly recommends to His Excellency the Governor-General in Council, that full responsible government should be given to the Territories, with the other powers in addition to those already possessed by the Assembly granted by the British North America Act to the Provinces of Canada, with the exception of the powers to raise money on public credit.

(2) The Assembly believes that dues on dry wood cut for fuel and rails should be abolished.

3. The Assembly ask that the words "only where specially mentioned in subsection 'b' of section 2 of the Animal Contagious Diseases Act, Cap 69, R. S. C. be struck out.

4. The Assembly urges the appointment of Hide and Brand Inspectors, one at McLeod and one at Calgary.

6. That the Assembly recommends that the granting of scrip to Half breeds of Manitoba and the Northwest Territories be extended to such Halfbreeds heads of families and their children who on the 15th day of July, 1840, were residents of non-ceded territory, and who have since moved to either Manitoba or the Northwest Territories.

(2) That the Assembly would further recommend that Halfbreeds residing in the Northwest Territories on the 30th of April, 1885, who were otherwise entitled to scrip, but who failed to comply with the conditions of the Order in Council of 20th April, 1885, be granted scrip notwithstanding the Order in Council.

(3) That as under the half-breed commission of the 10th March 1885, the Indian title is as far as half-breeds are concerned only extended to those born prior to 15th July 1870, and as a number have been born to parents coming under the said commission of 1885, who in the opinion of this Assembly have equal rights to those

already dealt with.

This Assembly would therefore draw the attention of the Dominion government to the fact and urge that such steps be taken to finally end all half-breed claims.

(4) That this Assembly would also urge the appointment of the judges of the Northwest Territories as permanent commissioners to adjust and investigate half-breed claims, as the system of a flying commission is very unsatisfactory to the people and unnecessarily expensive to the government.

FINANCES

Report of the special committee appointed to enquire into the financial arrangement existing between the Dominion government and the N. W. Territories beg leave to report as follows:—

That the amount annually voted by the Dominion parliament for the expenses of government etc., in the Northwest Territories should be given in the form of a definite grant, instead of a rate which lapses at the end of the fiscal year for which it is rated.

That the said grant should be placed at the disposal and subject to the vote of the N. W. T. Legislative Assembly.

That although the N. W. T. have not been admitted into confederation as a province, yet they consider that the fact of their paying taxes to the Federal Treasury under the same laws, rules and regulations and provisions as the people of other parts of Canada and having been called upon to exercise the functions of local self government by the parliament of Canada, they are entitled to receive a return on the amount paid by them into the Federal Treasury of a sum similar to that received by the various provinces comprising the Canadian confederation.

That they consider that a greater proportion of taxation per head if paid by the people of the N. W. Territories than by the people of any other part of Canada.

That the cost of administering the government of the N. W. T. is much larger in proportion than in any other part of Canada by reason of the greater area and more widely scattered settlements.

That the maintenance and improvement of main trails in the Territories should be the subject of special consideration at the hands of the Federal parliament.

That inasmuch as the lands, timber and minerals of the Northwest Territories are held for sale by the Federal Government which deprives the Northwest government of any revenue from these sources and the provinces of confederation with the exception of Manitoba having revenues from said sources.

Therefore your committee are strongly of opinion that a largely increased grant should be given to the Northwest Territories for expenses of Northwest government in the construction of roads and bridges, the improvement of main trails and other public improvements.

STOCK.

Boston's Buffalo.

WINNIPEG 15.—Boston's herd of Buffalo was shipped to Kansas City yesterday.

Alberta Cattle in Eastern Canada

Advices by the Southampton mail last week report that a sale of over 200 head of ranch cattle was conducted in Montreal on Nov. 8th, by Messrs. Rogers & Halligan. These were part of a consignment of 300 forwarded by the Oxley Ranch Co., a portion having been sold in Toronto market a few days previously. At the outset, business, it is said, dragged very slowly, buyers being afraid to go on, from the fact that a collision on the Canadian Pacific Railway lines had resulted in twelve beasts being killed, and the balance considerably shaken.

A clearance, however, was effected, as the average price would touch close on 30 dols. per head, which, considering the circumstances, is not out of the way. We learn that those handled in Toronto market were the first ranch cattle offered for sale for local consumption and naturally some diffidence was shown by the retailers in taking them up. Inquiries were, however, numerous, and two days, as to when more of the same would be coming forward, the butchers being thoroughly well satisfied with the quality in every respect. This is most encouraging, and points to a market much nearer the ranching grounds than the cost of transport by rail at least.—Canadian Gazette.

Touch of Cattle.

The skin of cattle affords a second to none in judging of the properties of a beast. The touch is hard or mellow. A thick, firm, which is generally covered with a set, hard, short hair, always indicates a good feeder. A thin, papery skin, with this, silken hair, being the skin of the one just described, is however, affords a good touch. This is indicative of a weakness of constitution, though of good feeding. A perfect touch will be found in the loose skin floating as it were over the soft fat, yielding to the touch, and springing back to the hager like a piece of soft thick velvet, and covered with thick, glossy, soft hair. A knowledge of touch can only be acquired by long practice, but after one has acquired it, it is a sufficient means of judging of the feeding qualities of an ox.—Rural Canadian.

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Canadian Breed Hunters for the English Market.

There seems to be some talk on the other side of the Atlantic about breeding hunters for the English market. We do not doubt for a moment but what they could be bred and raised, but when it comes to the schooling of them that is quite a different thing. In America there are few bound fences resembling the obstacles encountered every few minutes in a run through an average English country, and certainly no water-jumps. All such horses would have to be brought over here under four years old, and be educated afterwards. Freight and insurance would then have to be deducted, so a good deal of the gilt would have to be taken off the gingerbread ere they reached the covert-side.—London Live Stock Journal.

An American on our Ranches

S. C. Hunter, of the cattle firm of Conrad & Hunter, whose home ranch is located on Mac Creek, Northwest Territory, is in the city as guest of Mr. and Mrs. Conrad. This firm has the largest herd of cattle ranging in Canada. It consists of about 8,000 head ranging on the south side of the Cypress mountains, where the firm hold a lease from the Canadian government of 2,000 square miles of the best pasturage lands in the Northwest for a period of 21 years. Mr. Hunter reports that the northern ranges are in a most excellent condition this fall and he predicts no losses in that far off northern clime from the result of a hard winter, and such prove the coming one.—Bris Gazette.

Pleuro-pneumonia in Ohio.

There is great alarm in Auglaize county, O., among the cattle-owners over the appearance of pleuro-pneumonia among their stock. Several weeks ago a herd of cattle was brought from Shelby city, and it was from them the dread disease started. Several hundred heads already affected and a large number died. A strict quarantine has been ordered by the State authorities on all herds affected to prevent the spread of the disease.—Kansas City Live Stock Journal.

To Investigate Quarantine Matters.

Wifeo 18.—John Lowe, deputy minister agriculture is here going to investigate the quarantine question at Fort Laramie.

FLUO MILL SCHEME ENDORSED

A grand Representative Meeting Unanimously in Favor of the Proposal.

Response to hand bills put in circulation Friday afternoon, a large number of ratepayers met in the Council Chamber at eight o'clock Friday night. The most representative character of the present, has not been equalled for a time in Calgary, except at the meeting of last spring re the appointment of E. Dewdney as Minister of the Interior.

For Shelton occupied the chair and J. L. Bernard acted as secretary. J. W. Davis, M. P. for Alberta, was present and supported the movement.

Worship stated the object of the meeting, which was to set a full expression of opinion from the ratepayers as to course the town council should adopt in reference to the request made by Mr. P. Prince, manager of the Eau Claire Lumber Company's business in Calgary. The council should use their influence with the Government of Canada, to secure the right to build a second dam across the river and to raise their present one. To secure for that company title in fee in the lands they now hold under a 99 year lease, as well as the title to islands and above their present mill site. If granted, the company will erect a second dam, which will increase the capacity of the mill to 50 barrels per day constructed in a way that it can be enlarged as circumstances may require. The company proposed to construct a flume from the dam through their present leasehold creating a series of water powers, which they could either use in other manufactures or sell power to others who would make use of them for manufacturing purposes.

Mr. Prince was asked to take a chair and his Worship and answer such questions in every respect. This is most encouraging, and points to a market much nearer the ranching grounds than the cost of transport by rail at least.—Canadian Gazette.

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to Mr. Edle's question about tolls for grinding, Mr. Prince said he did not know what the law is in the Territories, though he did know that it used to be one-twelfth in Eastern Canada.

Dr. Lufferty put several pertinent questions to Mr. Prince as to how far up the land would be liable to overflow through the erection of the proposed dam, &c. Mr. Prince replied giving the point, also stated that his dam and mill would not interfere with the erection of other mills.

Mr. Reilly wanted to know if Mr. Prince would give a guarantee not to prevent other mills being erected and enquired if he would agree to let others have water power from his flume. In reply it was stated that while the company wished to build the flume to be used by themselves or to sell the power to other manufacturers they would not be subjected to dictation by every "Tom, Dick and Harry". If they went to the great expense proposed, they wanted to make some money out of the investment. Mr. G. C. Marsh, said that from the way Mr. Reilly spoke one would suppose that only one water power site existed in Calgary while there are twenty others just as good.

Mr. Jones stated that he and Mr. Orr had taken the level on the Elbow from below the Lac-McSchoil to the C. P. R. bridge, and found 14 feet of a fall. T. A. McLeas said that he and A. H. McVittie, D. L. S. had taken levels on the Elbow between Dewdney Bridge and the railway bridge and found 30 feet fall. Mr. Child C. E. said he had taken levels for the water works company from a point where a line drawn south south on McVittie St. would cross the Elbow and found 28 feet fall to the railway bridge.

At this point Mr. Prince explained that when his company applied to the government nearly two years ago for a charter to build a dam they had not thought of building a fluming mill as up to that time he did not believe that what would grow here. Since then he has been entirely undeceived on that point and was quite willing all the risk in building a mill.

Mr. R. A. Jones was called on as a miller of experience in Ontario and a flour merchant in Calgary to give his views on the subject. He refuted the threadbare lie that wheat will not grow here and cited cases which came within his own knowledge where 30, and as high as 40 bushels of No 1 hard wheat had been grown to the acre. He showed at the meeting a sample of Calgary district wheat which as a miller he would guarantee to produce 48 lbs of flour to the bushel. He said that while so much was being said about damming the river there was another thing he would like to dam; that was the overflow of money from Calgary to Manitoba to buy flour.

He gave figures to show that Calgary alone imports 200 carloads, averaging 330 sacks to the car of flour per annum. He demonstrated that if a good mill existed here the farmers would get 15 cents per bushel more for wheat than Manitoba farmers got, and yet the miller would make 25 to 30 cents profit per sack on flour, while the consumer would pay no more for bread or flour than they do now for that which pays freight on 800 miles of transit. The speaker strongly advocated the establishment of woolen and oatmeal mills as being sure to pay largely on the investment besides benefiting the country and town.

The following resolution moved by Dr. J. D. Lufferty and seconded by D. W. Davis, M. P., was carried:—"That the citizens of Calgary by petition to the Hon. the Governor-General, request him to make all possible effort to secure from the Dominion government the privilege asked for by Mr. P. A. Prince, representing the Eau Claire & Bow River Lumbering Company as set forth in the memorial placed on the table here for signatures tonight."

The meeting adjourned. During the discussion one important point was brought out, namely, that the Eau Claire Co. do not ask either for a bonus from the town or exemption from taxation.

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Official Reports as to the State of the Lodge of A. F. & A. M.

In the report of the Manitoba Grand Lodge A. F. & A. M., several interesting references are made to Bow River Lodge, Calgary. The Grand Master in his report says:-

"I also had the pleasure of sojourning for a couple of weeks in the beautiful and thriving town of Calgary. On this town it may be truly said that 'the beautiful situation.' There I had the honor of making the first of my official visits and the first official visit of any Grand Master to Bow River Lodge. I was delighted to find it (under the mastership of Worshipful Brother Brogden) in very satisfactory condition. Many of Winnipeggers are on its roll of membership, and they are comfortably housed in a lodge room which is their own proper and unencumbered by a mortgage. Right Worshipful Brother W. G. Ken. Past District Deputy Grand Master of the Hamilton District, Grand Register of Canada, and Brother McMahon, also of Hamilton, happened to be in Calgary on the night of our meeting, and they visited the lodge. The reunion was an exceedingly pleasant one. The Second and Third Degrees were exemplified by Worshipful Brogden and his subordinate officers in a manner that would do credit to any lodge in any jurisdiction; and the entire personnel of the lodge gives the best possible assurance of the permanence and growth of the craft in that remote portion of our masonic realm. The superb banquet which followed would have satisfied even Northern Light lodge, that whatever may be the facts as regards railways, in the matter of masonic suppers there is no 'monopoly' in this country. Best of all, the brethren conducted themselves in a manner that would have been enjoyed by their wives and daughters as much as it was by them.

"I was gratified to find that, while they force the formation of a new Grand Lodge at some period in the future, they are quite willing that that period should be somewhat remote. My thanks are due to D. D. G. M. Lindsay, and several other brethren, for the kind and courteous attentions shown me."

Dissolution of Partnership.

The Partnership heretofore existing between JAMES REILLY and A. F. MARTIN under the name and style of Reilly & Martin, Hotel-keepers, has been dissolved. The undersigned will pay all liabilities of the said firm.

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The business of the late firm will be carried on by Mr. Andrew Carson, at the same address, Stephen Avenue, Calgary. All debts owing to the partnership are to be paid to the said Andrew Carson, by whom all claims against the said partnership will be settled in ordinary course.

Dated at Calgary, this 7th day of November, A. D. 1888.
Witnesses
W. L. BERNARD, ANDREW CARSON,
Advocate, Calgary. 279-280 dw

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

NOTICE is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned and A. J. Ellis has been dissolved, and all monies due the said firm must be paid to me.

J. G. FITZGERALD,
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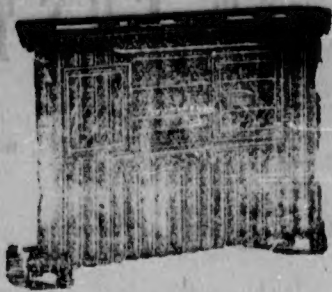
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THE WEEK'S LOCAL NEWS

Wednesday.

Rev. John McDougall, of Morley, is registered at the Royal Hotel. The date of the C. P. R. excursion from Calgary to the east has been changed from the 17th to the 18th.

G. C. Marsh sold 14 lots on section 16 yesterday at satisfactory prices to all concerned.

The patient J. W. Wilson, who was put in charge of Dr. Lindsay by the C. P. R. authorities, having shown signs of dangerous insanity on the east bound Sunday night express, is still in close quarters, but seems to be improving. From his conversation he evidently belongs to Toronto, but has been in Victoria B. C., for two or three years. He is receiving good food and care and the necessary medical attendance.

Mr. Cormack, the exporter of Alberta fat cattle and sheep, whose return to Calgary we noted on Monday, did not come empty handed. While shipping the surplus fat cattle from here he is also engaged in bringing to Calgary, blooded horses and cattle for breeding purposes, too many of which it is almost impossible to have in the country. Amongst the importations by Mr. Cormack this week, there is one splendid full bred Clyde stallion 7 years old, weighing 1,900 lbs., which has been sold to Mr. Wm. Isaks. This horse was imported from Scotland by Mr. Cormack. Also a beautiful 3 year old stallion between three-quarters and full bred Clyde called the "Pride of Campbellton," weighing about 1,600 lbs. He also brought 17 fillies ranging from 5 to 8 months old, natives of Ontario, but all sired by a three-quartered Clyde. Mr. Cormack claims that these will make brood mares better suited to the country, if raised here, than if imported after grown up. He has also several young well bred horse colts from one to one and a half years old. There is also in the importation one car load of young bulls, numbering 28, out of which there are 22 thoroughbreds. These bulls range from 6 to 18 months old.

Thursday.

P. Bliss, the well known temperance lecturer of Winnipeg, is in town.

D. W. Davis M. E. is in town and stopping at the Royal Hotel.

A concert of sacred music is to be given in Knox Church on Wednesday evening next.

Mr. W. J. Troncone of Toronto, brother of Mr. Troncone of this town is here. He is agent for the Westerns Engine Company of Brantford.

Mayor Shelton returned from Banff this morning. His Worship, while away was quite ill, this delaying him longer than he expected to remain away.

Mr. Lawford of the Bank of Montreal staff at Calgary has been transferred to the Winnipeg office and left for that city this morning.

Mr. James Whistler of the C. P. R. telegraph went to Anthracite this morning to put in the instrument at that point which had been removed during the time the mines were closed.

J. W. Wilson of Toronto, who has been confined here because he showed signs of insanity, while on the train from Vancouver, has so far recovered that Dr. Lindsay thought it safe for him to continue his journey. He left by No 2 express this morning.

A meeting of the executive committee of the Mechanics Institute was held last night. A strong feeling was expressed that it would be necessary to charge an annual fee to those who would become members, and wish to take books out of the library, that the reading room should be made free for all.

Mr. John Lincham M. L. A. returned from Regina this morning looking no more debilitated than usual and none the worse for his legislative labours. Mr. Lincham did not do much speechifying in the assembly, but he did a great deal of solid work, in committee, and it is there that the real, practical work of all legislative bodies is done.

Mr. Bliss will deliver an address on the Northwest liquor question, in the Methodist church this evening. The lecture will be a departure from the usual stereotyped "Prohibition or Damnation" temperance speech. The lecturer has been travelling through the Territories and has obtained much new light on the question of prohibition. Mr. Bliss is G. W. P. of the Sons of Temperance.

Friday.

Dr. H. C. Wilson and Mr. Frank Olive representatives of Edmonton in the Assembly are in town on their way home from Regina.

There will be a service in Knox Church this morning at 10 o'clock, presided over by the pastor, and the choir will sing a number of hymns.

The weekly tea given by the ladies of the Y. M. C. A. will be held this evening.

to discuss the proposal of the Eau Claire Company to establish a grist mill in Calgary. Every citizen having the interests of the town at heart should attend.

Mr. Feehan, Calgary agent of the C. P. R., has received a telegram from Mr. Kerr, General Passenger Agent, which reads:—"You may sell excursion tickets on the eighteenth and every day during next week if any whose names are in wish to delay to a later date."

G. C. Marsh has succeeded in selling Sir John Lester Kaye lots 21, 22 and 23 in block 48, section 15, corner Hamilton street and Stephen avenue. We can congratulate Sir John on this purchase and the town upon having a gentleman of his standing making investments. Prior to his leaving for England he gave his architect instructions to prepare plans for a block of business houses 75x130, in which the Canadian Agricultural Coal & Colonization Co., will have headquarters.

What is believed to be reliable rumors are afloat that Messrs. Ross & McDermitt contractors, who own a large cattle ranch south of Calgary, and who were very successful contractors on part of the C. P. R. through the Rocky Mountains, have received a railway construction contract in Peru which it will take five years to complete. These gentlemen are old railway builders and their indomitable energy and capital made by shrewdness and perseverance is equal to carry them through the gigantic Peruvian undertaking.

The lecture in the Methodist Church given by Mr. Bliss, of Winnipeg, on temperance, was not very largely attended. The object of the lecture was largely to lay before the public the merits of the two proposed ways of dealing with the liquor question in the Northwest, namely prohibition and license. The speaker was largely into statistics as to the loss to the country at large caused by the use of strong drink, arguing that we would be better off by many millions annually if it was not used at all. While arguing from a temperance standpoint he at the same time admitted that the temperance people of the east were up to the present time very badly informed as to the present abortive system in force here and the great amount of liquor smuggled into the Territories.

The officers and teachers of the Methodist Sabbath School are making preparations for an entertainment to be given in the church on the evening of Christmas at 7 o'clock. The annual entertainment given by this school have always drawn a large attendance, and the effort being made now promises to make the coming one more interesting than any previous one. The programme will be carried out entirely by the children, and will consist of singing, recitations, dialogues, etc. It is proposed to vary the usual plan of having a Christmas tree and instead of erect a house on the platform, to be the supposed residence of Santa Clause, from which the presents will be distributed to the children. About \$60 worth of presents will be given away. Admission for all except children belonging to the school will be 25 cents, which will go into Sabbath School fund of the church.

Saturday.

Col. Herchmer, commissioner of the N. W. M. P., arrived from Regina this morning.

C. O. F. The regular meeting of the C. O. F., which should be held on the last Tuesday of this month has been postponed until Wednesday the 26th inst.

W. L. Bernard, legal manager of the Queenstown Colony, has just returned from a visit to the colony. He reports everything in good shape and that a fine house has been built for the resident manager.

Mr. Wm. Clouthier, who resides in Indiana, and who passed through on the night express on the way to visit his brother who resides at Portland, Oregon, had heard by some means that there was a town on the line of the C. P. R., and made up his mind to forego the comforts of his sleeping berth for a short time to see such a strange sight. To a HERALD reporter he said that the people in his state were generally under the impression that this was almost an uninhabited and frozen region. He was astonished to learn the fact that the finest grain in the world is grown here and that cattle are fat on the prairies in mid winter.

Monday

Mrs. Hanson, generally known as the "Old Darkey Woman" died last night at her house on 15.

Messrs. A. Ferland & Co., of Calgary, are opening a branch of their dry goods, clothing and shoe store at Lethbridge.

The Calgary Cartage Company is moving the Coal Creek Mining Company's shed to a site near the C. P. R. freight shed.

Rev Mr. Christmas of Banff officiated at the Church of the Redeemer yesterday.

Mr. James Bannerman's team ran away this morning, making a tour via South St. Melville Avenue and Oiler Street. The harness was somewhat damaged and the driver, being thrown out, received some trifling injuries.

An unfortunate man brought in from one of the southern ranges was committed to the Barracks for insanity this morning. The two men similarly afflicted, who have been at the barracks for some days, were sent east by this morning's train.

The meeting of citizens convened at the request of Mr. Arthur Thompson and Mr. W. L. Bernard, to discuss the merits of the proposed Calgary Hide & Tallow Company, will, by permission of the Mayor, be held in the old town hall tomorrow (Tuesday), at 3 o'clock in the afternoon.

The importance of having a flour mill established here as soon as practicable, is further shown by the fact that on Saturday the 16th, the Calgary Carriage Co. were sending north by train to Saddle Lake 800 bags of flour, to Stony Plain 800 bags, and to Bear Hills 700 bags. This is not by any means an annual shipment, but one which occurs very often and is but one item of the flour that should be ground here.

Many people go all the way to Egypt to see the pyramids. The expense and peril of this long trip is now rendered unnecessary through the enterprise of Messrs. Rankin & Allan, who have on exhibition in their window a pyramid of far costlier material than the bricks and mortar of the land of corn. It being constructed of the richest silks that India can produce.

Another industry which, if carried out on business principles, will be of very great advantage to Calgary, is now proposed. We refer to the Calgary Hide & Tallow Co. It is intended to utilize all descriptions of offal of the very large number of animals which are annually slaughtered in this district, which now either goes to waste or is shipped away at such an expense for freight and commission, as to leave the net price very small. The proprietors propose to carry on tanning, currying, making soap, candles, gelatine, glue, etc., the reduction of bones to manure, &c. The prime movers are gentlemen with good English connections, which will insure the needed capital. A meeting will be held tomorrow to organize, after which more particulars will be given.

Tuesday.

Drs. Lindsay & Campbell have dissolved partnership. Dr. Campbell will return to Anthracite to take charge of a large staff of men about to be employed in the mines of that place.

It looks as though the Anthracite coal company meant business. They have purchased the big coal shed which belonged to the S. J. Hoag estate and moved it to a convenient point for receiving coal from the cars east of the freight shed.

An adjourned public meeting in connection with the establishment of a public library and reading room will take place in the fire hall at 8 o'clock tonight. Several gentlemen have been working very hard in this matter and are desirous of laying the result of the work before the public. A full meeting is requested.

On the 19th inst., at 1 o'clock p. m., the semi-annual examination of the pupils of Lacombe separate Catholic school district will take place at the Convent. On next Friday the 21st at the same place also at 1 o'clock p. m. The pupils of the same school will receive a distribution of prizes.

Belgian Consul.

Dr. E. H. Rouleau has received a letter from Fred Van Brayssel, consul general for Belgium in the Dominion, dated Quebec, December 7th, 1888, in which he says:—"I have the great satisfaction of informing you that by an Imperial order of His Majesty the King of Belgium, upon the recommendation of the minister of Foreign Affairs, you have been appointed counsel for the kingdom of Belgium at Calgary, which gives you jurisdiction over all the Northwest Territories of Canada. The Imperial notice of your appointment with all official documents will be forwarded to you by His Excellency Prince Chimasy." [Signed,]

FRED VAN BRAYSEL, Belgian Consul General for Canada.

The Public Library.

The meeting held last evening in the council chamber was a genuine success and resulted in the organization of the Calgary Mechanics Institute. The object is to establish a library and reading room.

A. E. Shelton was elected president, A. J. Ellis first vice president, Dr. W. B. Campbell second vice president, J. K. Shirley secretary and J. Thompson, treasurer. Executive committee, Messrs. A. W. F. Cooper, Father LeDuc, J. F. Betts and James Herdman, Messrs. E. J. Chambers, W. Hallie, I. S. Freeze, A. A. Davidson and W. L. Bernard.

The next meeting will be held in the same place on Tuesday evening next, Dec. 18th, at eight o'clock. The officers and executive committee meet tonight at nine o'clock in Dr. Campbell's office. The secretary was instructed to prepare and forward a circular letter to ranchmen and farmers and invite their co-operation.

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